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RE: Revision to Arizona State Implementation Plan; Rescission and Approval of Certain Maricopa County Air Quality Department Rules

Dear Ms. Strauss:

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) hereby adopts and submits to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) the enclosed State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision, *Revisions to Arizona's State Implementation Plan*, by Maricopa County Air Quality Department (MCAQD), pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes Sections 49-104, 49-106, and 49-404, and Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 40, Sections 51.102 through 51.104.

The enclosed SIP revision is the culmination of a collaborative effort by EPA and MCAQD to analyze old one- and two-digit numbered SIP-approved MCAQD rules for compliance with current SIP requirements and to update them to the current three-digit numbering system. To bring the Arizona SIP up-to-date with current MCAQD rules, the enclosed revision to the Arizona SIP rescinds (removes) outdated rules and includes, as necessary, current rules for EPA's approval. The rules that are requested for EPA's approval are either as stringent or more stringent than the existing SIP-approved regulations.

ADEQ formally requests that EPA rescinds those rules identified in the revision for removal from the Arizona SIP, and approve those rules identified for approval into the Arizona SIP. If you have any questions, please contact Hether Krause, MCAQD Planning & Analysis Division Manager, at (602) 506-6731 or [Hether.Krause@mail.maricopa.gov](mailto:Hether.Krause@mail.maricopa.gov).

Sincerely,

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